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PRESS RELEASE – MOTOR VEHICLE CRASH

On 08-19-15 at 2:13am, the Dodge County Sheriff's Office responded to a motor vehicle crash on I-41 north of Sth 49 in the Township of Lomira, Dodge County, Wisconsin.

Preliminary investigation shows that a semi with tank trailer (hauling water) was traveling north on I-41 and initiated a U-turn through the median to travel south on I-41. A semi with box trailer was traveling south on I-41 and struck the tank trailer as it crossed into the southbound traffic lanes. The driver of the semi with tank trailer was uninjured in the crash, but the driver of the semi with box trailer was pronounced dead at the scene by the Dodge County Medical Examiner. Names are being withheld pending notification of next of kin. There were no passengers in either vehicle.

I-41 southbound traffic remains closed while the crash is being investigated.

Assisting at the scene was: Fond du lac County Sheriff's Department, Fond du lac Paramedics, Brownsville Fire Department and Dodge County Emergency Response Team.

The crash remains under investigation by the Dodge County Crash Investigation Team.

Additional information can be obtained by contacting Sheriff Dale J Schmidt.